

## INDECENT LANGUAGE

Used In Presence Of Defendant And Children

Also Alleged Violence And Inhuman Conduct

Recited In Cross Petition Of Frances M. Bailey

Who Seeks Reasonable Alimony From Her Husband

Shaffer Brings Suit On Promissory Notes--Other Items

Frances M. Bailey, in the action for divorce brought by her husband, William H. Bailey, has filed an answer and cross-petition. In the former, she denies all allegations with the exception of statements of residence, marriage, etc.

In cross-petition, she avers that he abused and mistreated her all their wedded life, accusing her of improper conduct, using vile and abusive language toward her and calling her indecent names in the presence of her children; that on December 25 and other dates, he struck and beat her. She recites many other indignities. She further says they have not lived together for two years on account of his brutal and inhuman conduct.

She says that he owns 86 acres of land and has stock, machinery and money. She prays for reasonable alimony. Robert L. Carr is attorney for the defendant.

### Suit on Notes--

W. W. Shaffer has brought suit against A. L. Gibbs, seeking to recover an aggregate of \$125 on two promissory notes and has filed an affidavit for attachment on the grounds that the defendant is a non-resident of the state of Ohio. Harry W. Koons is plaintiff's attorney.

### Answer Filed--

In the action brought by William H. Bailey against Frances M. Bailey for reconveyance of premises, an answer has been filed by the defendant, stating that the deed had been given her to protect a claim for \$410, including money and live-stock, which the plaintiff had obtained from a settlement of her father's estate. She further states that the property had been placed in her home so that whatever was saved from the assignment made by the plaintiff could be thus kept beyond reach of plaintiff's creditors. Robert L. Carr is attorney for the defendant.

### Court Journal--

Mary E. Fultz vs. J. T. Broughton--Motion for a new trial overruled; exceptions.

McPeters vs. B. & O. Railroad--Cause ordered removed to United States district court.

Eliza Riley vs. Alonzo L. Gibbs--Sale confirmed; deed and distribution ordered.

J. B. Riblet, executor, vs. Susan Stiner--Submitted and held under advisement.

Thomas McClelland vs. Noble Weir--Sale confirmed; deed and distribution ordered.

William F. Sapp vs. John Cooper--Sale confirmed; deed and distribution ordered.

Joseph Rice vs. Alonzo Gibbs--Judgment by confession in favor of plaintiff for \$311.80.

Application for Guardian--Jesse Sellers has made application in probate court for appraisement of a guardian of Mary Sellers, an alleged imbecile. Hearing will be held April 13 at 2 o'clock.

Second and Final--A. P. Tarr, guardian of Ann Riggs Holland, has filed a second and final account, showing receipts and disbursements of \$1,399.98.

Answer and Cross Petition--In the proceedings to sell land in the estate of Jane Butler, an answer

and cross-petition has been filed by William D. Chambers, in which he sets up a claim for \$210 on a promissory note, secured by a mortgage on the premises.

### Deeds Filed--

John M. Woolson, sheriff, to Sylvie A. Morris, parcel in Amity, \$710. Cornelius K. Dowds to James G. Fowler, 150 acres in Pike, \$12,000. Walter Robinson to William B. Scott, lots in Delmont addition, Mt. Vernon, \$1.

Ina S. Baker to Otto L. Baker, lot in Mt. Vernon, \$1, (two deeds). Alice M. Atherton to Emile N. Michaux, parcel in Clinton, \$500. Harriet Hallister to Burton Hawkins, 74 acres in Milford, \$1.

Robert M. Greer to John Cooper, part lot 75, Mt. Vernon, \$1.

John M. Woolson, sheriff, to John Cooper, part lot 75, Mt. Vernon, \$12,300.

### Marriage Licenses--

William Perry Erwin, farmer, Delaware, and Blanche Maud Morey, Centerburg. Rev. J. A. Long.

Lee Earlywine, farmer, Bladensburg, and Leota Christina Fawcett, Harrison township. Rev. G. R. Dye.

## DESTROYED

BY FIRE OF UNKNOWN ORIGIN--HOME OF JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP FARMER CONSUMED BY FLAMES.

Greer, April 7--Fire of unknown origin destroyed the home of William Greer, situated about 2 1/2 miles west of here, Thursday afternoon. The fire had gained such good headway before it was discovered by the members of the family that it was impossible for the house to be saved. Practically all of the household goods, however, were removed. The loss was fully covered by insurance.

### SHAW AND YOST

APPOINTED RURAL CARRIERS TO FILL LOCAL VACANCIES.

Washington, April 7--The postoffice department advised Representative Ashbrook today that William R. Youst and Harry E. Shaw have been appointed rural free delivery carriers out of Mt. Vernon to fill vacancies.

Mr. Shaw is a resident of Mt. Vernon and Mr. Youst of Miller township.

### MATRIMONIAL AGENCY

OF UNIQUE CHARACTER DISCOVERED BY LAD OF THIS CITY.

A toy balloon with his name attached, sent up Monday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. by Lantz Waite, brought the young lad a postal card Thursday from a girl residing on a rural route out of Gallon.

Y. M. C. A. boys have been sending up these balloons this last week, obtaining them from merchants of the city who use them for advertising purposes. They are filled with gas and then let loose.

Waite attached a tag to his balloon, bearing his name, but never expected a reply. He was very much surprised when, in Thursday's mail, he received the card from the Gallon girl.

### BIRTHS

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beck of East Vine street, Thursday morning.

A daughter was born Thursday night to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bryan of West Gambler street.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Tilton Johnson of Jelloway Thursday night.

### UTICA VOTES APRIL 24

April 24 has been designated as the day for the Utica local option election. A petition of more than 40% of Utica voters was received at a recent Utica council meeting and the date then set.

Perry Norrick of Howard was a business visitor in Mt. Vernon Saturday. R. V. Moore is spending the week-end with relatives in Newark.

Mrs. C. L. Wright of Third avenue spent Friday in Fredericktown, the guest of relatives.

Mrs. Perry Wheeler returned Saturday to her home in Alexandria after a short visit here.

Russell Ewalt of West High street spent Saturday in Columbus with friends.

## NO PIPE

FOR DRUNKS OR VAGRANTS IN MANSFIELD

Plenty of Work Constantly on Tap For All Able-bodied Men

For a period of several years, Mt. Vernon has desired some legal means of forcing vagrants to work out their night's lodging in the city lock-up on the streets the following day, or "drunks" to work out their fines.

At the last regular meeting of city council, City Solicitor Koons was authorized to visit Mansfield and ascertain what means were provided there to work out such a plan.

The following, from the Mansfield News, will prove of timely interest, not only to members of council, but to the city at large:

Plenty of good work for able-bodied men around the police station. Men who are able to get drunk, are able to work, believes Mayor Lowrey, and he assigns each man who has not enough money to settle his bill, a place to work and the workers do not have to take the civil service examination in order to work for the city.

Those who are a little short on funds, need not have any hesitancy in getting drunk for they will not be embarrassed by being asked to pay their fines. They may take it out in trade. These men are given the privilege of trading so much sweat of the brow for so many dollars worth of fine and costs. The city has a good sized roller which is used in rolling the sod in Central park. Two good huskies are required to pull this roller and the city also has an adjustable collar, guaranteed to fit any neck.

## INVITATION

GIVEN MAYOR, POSTMASTER AND PRESIDENT DARRAH

To Be Guests of Chamber of Commerce of Columbus When Formal Opening of Ball Season Occurs

In furtherance of good fellowship between neighboring towns and in recognition of baseball as the great "National Game," the mayors, postmasters and presidents of commercial organizations, in the various cities and towns throughout the central section of the state, are being invited by the Columbus chamber of commerce to be its guests at a luncheon at the new Athletic club in the capital city on Tuesday noon, April 18, the opening day of the baseball season in the American association.

Mayor Mitchell, Postmaster Dowds and President Darrah of the chamber of commerce have received formal invitations to the luncheon, at which Mayor George J. Karb of Columbus will extend the municipal welcome, and following which there will be an automobile parade to the ball park.

At the chamber of commerce luncheon, reserved seat tickets to the game, compliments of the Columbus Ball club, will be distributed to the visiting guests.

It has been suggested to Mayor Mitchell of this city, that a number of local fans form automobile parties to Columbus on that day. It will be urged that these cars be well decorated with Mt. Vernon pennants or banners so that a good representation from here be made in the parade preceding the game at Neil park.

A number of devotees of the sport here have indicated their intention of seeing the Columbus team open the 1916 season with its old rival, Kansas City.

### 'Twas Ever Thus

FINAL LOSERS, MAY CONTEST STIVERS GAME.

Word has come to this city that East Liverpool high school basketball five, which lost to Stivers high of Dayton in the finals of the state tourney at Delaware last month, may contest the game.

The Ohio river lads claim to have learned that Lightner, Stivers' star forward and Don Hamilton's selection for all-state forward, has played professional ball.

In protesting, it is understood that East Liverpool will endeavor to have the game played over again.

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## IN JUSTICE TO GOV. COX

To the Public: Information has come to me that, following the announcement of my recommendation for appointment as postmaster of Mt. Vernon, criticism was made of ex-Gov. Cox growing out of the statement in the Washington news of the recommendation that he had endorsed me for the appointment. This was an error, and in justice to Gov. Cox I desire to state the facts.

I believe I am well enough acquainted with proprieties not to ask for such an endorsement, and I believe I know Gov. Cox well enough to know that he would not comply with such a request if made of him. It would be entirely indelicate and out of place for him to endorse candidates for postmasterships.

In connection with the campaign I made for postmaster, I wrote Gov. Cox for a simple statement as to the circumstances of my appointment as supervisor of public printing and the manner in which I filled the office. It was such a request as an employee might make of his employer in leaving his service.

Gov. Cox wrote Postmaster General Burleson just such a letter as I asked for, and its text plainly shows he was not endorsing me for appointment as postmaster. The letter from Gov. Cox to Postmaster General Burleson is given below.

FRANK HARPER.

Dayton, O., Oct. 1, 1915.

Hon. A. S. Burleson,  
Postmaster General,  
Washington, D. C.

My dear Sir: I have taken no interest whatever in postoffice contests in Ohio except when men obviously unworthy of the trust have applied, and the interests of the party in consequence demanded attention; or in those cases where high class men with whose official service I have been familiar have asked me to make a plain certification of my knowledge.

In this relation, it gives me pleasure to certify to the high character of Frank Harper of Mt. Vernon. He was selected supervisor of public printing under our administration at Columbus, a position that was given him unsolicited. He brought to the trust the finest quality of integrity, industry and efficiency.

Very truly yours,

JAMES M. COX.

Mrs. W. A. Smith of Kenyon street and Mrs. Scott Robinson of Denison avenue went to Gambier Friday to spend the day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bickel.

## BONFIRE

A STEP FROM GASOLINE-FILLED GARAGE EXCITES NEIGHBORS, AND DEPARTMENT IS CALLED OUT.

A large bonfire burning within five feet of a garage where several gallons of gasoline were stored caused property owners in the vicinity of West Vine and Sandusky streets a great deal of concern Thursday night until the fire department arrived.

E. M. Rowley, who lives at 209 West Vine street, kindled a bonfire in the rear of his home with the idea of burning up some trash and without thinking of the possible danger to the garage of Harry Blocher, near which he lighted the fire, because of its being constructed of sheet iron. The fire, however, became so large that some of the neighbors became afraid that the heat might explode the gasoline stored in the garage, and sent in a call for the fire department. Upon their arrival, the firemen had no difficulty in extinguishing the blaze with chemicals.

GIRL SWIMMING MARVEL QUITS IN HUFF

San Francisco, April 8--The girls who competed in the fifty-yard championship race, which carries with it the Pacific Athletic Association's swimming title, must swim over the course again tomorrow, because of the unsatisfactory conditions of the previous contest. Miss Dorothy Becker, the swimming marvel of the coast, will not compete this time, and she has withdrawn from the association. She claims that if she had not been fouled during the start of the first contest, she would have won. Miss Ethel Daly was pronounced the winner of the 50-yard championship, but the start of the race was bad and it has been decided that the race must be held again.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Cure fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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